

REMARKS

Applicant wishes to thank the Examiner for the courteous interview with Anne Shyjan on September 27, 2007. Applicant respectfully requests entry of the enclosed amendments. As discussed, the amendment to claim 12 corrects a typographical error, and claim 13 is presently canceled. As discussed claim 14 is amended to make it dependent on claim 12, to conform the claim language to the specification, for example at paragraphs 48-50, and to more clearly recite what Applicant regards as the invention. Applicant submits that the present amendment addresses only formal matters and does not alter the scope of the present invention.

CONCLUSION

Although no fees are believed due with the present submission, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be due in connection with this amendment to Deposit Account No. 50-0436. Should the Examiner have any questions regarding this application, the Examiner is invited to initiate a telephone conference with the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,



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